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**Re:** New Patent Application of: Osamu NAKAZAWA  
**Title:** DISTRIBUTED DIRECTORY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

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Please find attached hereto an application for patent which includes:

- ☒ Specification, Claims and Abstract (30 pages)
- ☒ 11 Sheets of Drawings (Fig. 1 through Fig. 11)
- ☒ Inventor Declaration and Power of Attorney (1 Page)
- ☒ Assignment document with cover page (2 Pages)
- ☒ Claim for Priority and one (1) Priority Document - Japanese Patent Application No. 11-049346, filed February 26, 1999
- ☒ Fee (see formula below) Check Enclosed

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